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The Royal Serenaders Male Chorus

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THE ST. PETER'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST CHOIR

Roy A. Mathis, Director  
Martin Bommer, Organist  
Linda Smith, Pianist

Presents

The Christmas Portion Of  
G.F. HANDEL'S  
"MESSIAH"

Soloists

Lauretta Anderson, Soprano  
Linda LaFlair, Contralto  
Edward Belton, Tenor  
Roy A. Mathis, Bass

Sunday - December 16, 1973 - 7:00 P.M.

Rev. Philip A. Smith, Pastor

Overture

Recitative Tenor "Comfort Ye My People"

Air Tenor "Every Valley Shall Be Exalted"

Chorus "And The Glory Of The Lord"

Recitative Bass "Thus Saith The Lord"

Air Bass "But Who May Abide The Day Of  
His Coming?"

Recitative Contralto "Behold, A Virgin Shall  
Conceive"

Air Contralto and Chorus "O Thou That Tellest Good  
Tidings To Zion"

Recitative Bass "For Behold, Darkness Shall  
Cover The Earth"

Air Bass "The People That Walked In Darkness"

Chorus "For Unto Us A Child Is Born"

Pastoral Symphony - Offertory

Recitative Soprano

"There Were Shepherds  
Abiding In The Field"

Recitative Soprano

"And Lo! The Angel Of The  
Lord Came Upon Them"

Recitative Soprano

"And The Angel Said Unto Them"

Recitative Soprano

"And Suddenly There Was With  
The Angel"

Chorus

"Glory To God"

Air Soprano

"Rejoice Greatly, O Daughter Of Zion"

Recitative Contralto

"Then Shall The Eyes Of The  
Blind Be Opened"

Air Contralto and Soprano

"He Shall Feed His Flock  
Like A Shepherd"

Chorus

"Hallelujah!"

Remarks - Rev. Philip A. Smith

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